



Muscat Festival 2009

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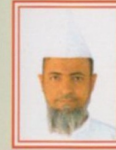
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HAND BLOCK PRINTING

Wooden block making is a very ancient art in India. The block is made of well dried rosewood or teakwood. First the root stem part of the tree is cut in one and half inch diameter and then to give it a smooth shape, the wood is well rubbed on stone. then iron graft of definite length is used for making designs with the help of wooden Thapi. With such blocks attractive printing is done on different clothes.

